

ARGENTINA PROJECT (S200000044)

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Dear Sir,

It is with great hope that I turn to you with a personal problem. My name is Juana Beatriz Moldavsky de Rey. I was born in Argentina. My husband RAFAEL REY is at present being held in jail in Argentina where he has been held since April 1975, despite the fact that a Federal Judge on August 31st, 1977, found him innocent of the charges placed against him.

We were arrested in our home on April 9th, 1975. Eventhough we had never been associated with any political party, my husband was held for two years before he was brought to trial where he was found not guilty of the charges brought against him. Nevertheless, we were remitted in custody by the Power Executive National (P.E.N.) under Regulation # 1070/75 and continued to be held in jail.

My husband has been cruelly tortured and I also underwent harsh beatings and psychological torments, as this time was in my third month of pregnancy. My daughter was born in jail and at the age of nine months she was placed with my Parents on the order of government.

There is an option for Political Prisoners to leave the country instead of staying in jail, so on a number of occasions I requested to leave Argentina, and was finally granted permission to leave and go to Israel on March 31st 1979. Today I am living with my daughter on Kibbutz Natzerim, in Israel.

My husband also requested permission to leave Argentina on several occasions but his requests were denied. On August 31st. 1979 he appealed again by Form 226.031 of the Argentinian Ministry of the Interior and his request was denied the 4th. December 1979.

He now has to wait a futher six months untill he can request permission to leave. As he is now in delicate health and he has been threatened with death, I fear for him greatly. I urge you with all my heart to assist us, if you can.

Upon my being released from jail, I was taken straight to the Airport where I was reunited with my daughter after years of

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separation. My husband has seen his daughter on rare occasions but she incessantly asks about him and begs to see him.

My husband and I were arrested for the same offence and were tried and found not guilty by a Federal Judge, so I do not understand why they will not release him and allow him to leave Argentina when they have already released me.

I sincerely thank you for any assistance that you can give me in enabling my husband to be freed.

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JUAN BEATRIZ MOLDAVSKY DE REY

My husband's particulars:

Name: RAFAEL REY

Date of birth: 28-6-1943, Buenos Aires

Identify Card No. 4.414.318

Weld: Unidad Penitenciaria No. 1

Piso 15, Area A, Sector B, Celda 55

Pichincha 2106, Buenos Aires - Codigo 1249

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Was found not guilty of the charges brought against him on August 31st, 1977.

Power Executive National under Regulation # 1070/75.

His Mother:

Name: EVA GONZALEZ PACHECO DE REY

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His father is dead.